

# Exploration Days

**Called to Prayer:** 10 am - 3 pm, 9 February 2019

Monastery of the Holy Trinity, Crawley Down, Crawley, West Sussex RH10 4LH

This day is aimed at people exploring a deeper life of prayer in the context of exploring a calling to ordained ministry in the Diocese. Any form of Christian ministry needs to be founded upon a life of prayer. But how do we do this in practice – and what are the pitfalls? Led by our Vocations Officer, the Rev Dr Paul Redparth, with input from Fr Colin CSWG, this workshop hopes to answer these important questions. Note that, due to available space at the monastery, this event is limited to 20 people.



**Called to Preaching:** 10 am - 4 pm, 1 June 2019,

All Saints' Church, 21A Grange Road, Eastbourne, BN21 4HE

This day seeks to bring a biblical foundation and contours to the ministry of preaching the good news of Jesus Christ. A panel discussion with preachers (ordained and lay), with opportunities to ponder how preaching finds its role within the ordained ministry of the Church of England as well as authorized lay ministries. With contributions from the Rev Dr Tim Ward (Tutor in Homiletics, Oak Hill College) and others.



**Called to Social Action:** 10 am - 4 pm, 7 September 2019,

All Saints' Church, The Drive, Hove, BN3 3QE

Do you feel angry with the injustices that you see in your community and society, and feel God calling you to make a difference? In this Exploration Day, we are delighted to welcome the Chief Executive of the Church Army, Mark Russell, and the Rev Dr Simon Cuff (St Mellitus College, London). With the Rev Diane Watts (Church Urban Fund), we'll be exploring how we as churches can listen to the needs of our communities and speak and act prophetically.



**Called to the Sacraments:** 10 am-4 pm, 5 October 2019

St Paul's, West Street, Brighton, BN1 2RQ

This Exploration Day seeks to help people understand how the sacraments are at the heart of the Christian life and how they resource mission and evangelism in the Church today. Time will also be given to those who feel called to be ministers of the Sacraments in the ordained ministry of the Church of England. With contributions from Fr Andrew Walker (Vicar, St Mary Bourne Street) and Canon Ann Waizeneker (Vicar, St Mary de Haura, Shoreham, and Dean of Women's Ministry).

